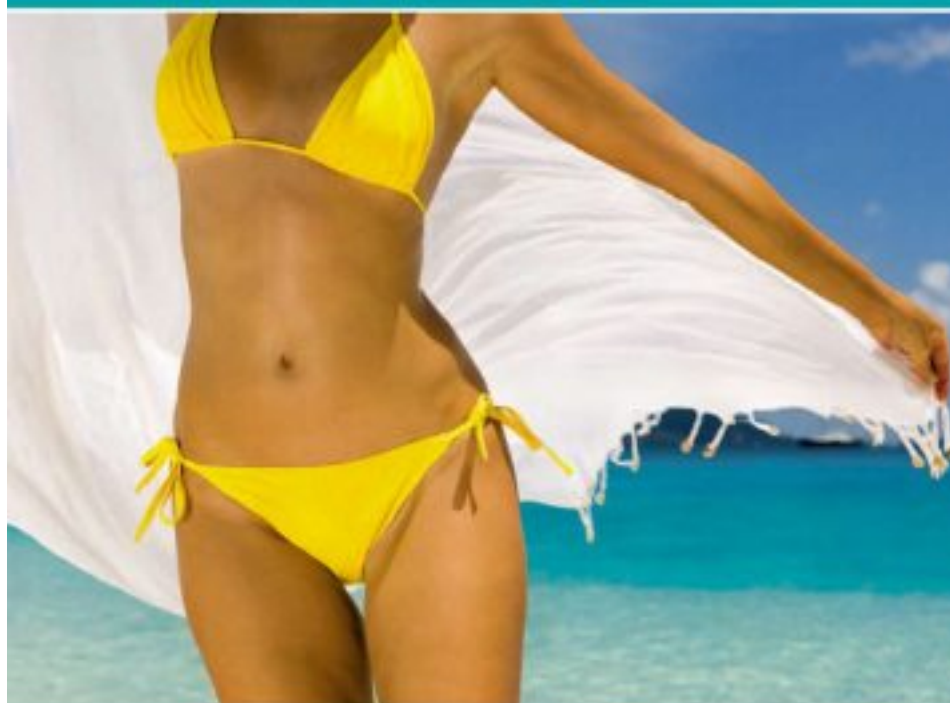


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## Axe heroine: 'Dying didn't occur to me'

BY CARL MUNGAZI

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**A WOMAN who saved her neighbour from being attacked with an axe has said the possibility of being killed during the heroic intervention had 'never occurred' to her.**

Frances Fitzgerald, a retired engineer from Caddington, stepped in after witnessing her two neighbours, Ray Nash and Gary Crisp, struggling over an axe last September.

The incident happened at Hillcrest Mobile Park in Caddington where the trio live.

After the attack on September 3 Mr Crisp was remanded in prison. And during a court hearing on January 25, Mrs Fitzgerald's heroics emerged as she appeared to ask the judge to give him a lenient sentence.

The altercation was sparked by Mr Nash breaking Mr Crisp's window on September 2.

An agreement over fixing the window was struck between the two men but the following day 58-year-old Mr Crisp attacked his neighbour with an axe in a drunken rage.

In an exclusive interview with Luton on Sunday, Mrs Fitzgerald told how she had been putting away some tools after painting the outside of her house with Mr Nash when she heard him calling for her.

She said: "The way he called for me was quite sharp. I looked across but all I could see was Gary's back and I never realised what was happening until I got closer.

"They were struggling over an axe and Ray was as white as a sheet and



**MODEST:** Mrs Fitzgerald says she doesn't want people to think she has been brave. Instead, she insists she did 'what anyone else would have done for their neighbour'

looked terrified."

As both men fought over the weapon Mrs Fitzgerald said she went to Mr Nash's side and began talking to Mr Crisp after realising he was angry about the broken window.

She said: "I started off by saying to him, 'this is a bit extreme isn't it Gary? It's only a window'.

"He told Ray to let the axe go but Ray refused. I told Gary that Ray would only let go if he promised not to hurt him."

At that moment Mrs Fitzgerald said that Mr Crisp began banging on Mr Nash's windows before grabbing him

by the throat.

She said: "I said to Gary, 'do you want to hurt me?' and he said, 'I'd never hurt you Fran'.

"The axe was above my head and he let Ray go long enough for him to run back into his house.

"Gary was just standing there. He had been drinking and he looked at me and said 'you know I'm not aggressive or violent' and I replied 'well you're coming across pretty aggressive right about now'."

Mrs Fitzgerald said she invited Mr Crisp back to her house for a cup of tea but he refused and said 'tonight

he dies, I will chop him up into little pieces'.

She then started looking for her phone but after being unable to find it, went to search for her neighbours. It was during this period that the police finally arrived.

Mrs Fitzgerald said: "I don't think what I did was extraordinary. I think nine times out of ten you can talk to people in that situation if you keep calm. I only panicked afterwards when people said I was stupid to have gotten involved when I could have been killed.

"The chance of me being killed had never occurred to me when I stepped in. I never thought of dying.

"When I was looking for my phone I had no intention of calling the police. In fact, I was actually trying to call one of my neighbours to tell him what was happening."

Her decision to plead for leniency on Mr Crisp's behalf came after hearing of the possibility of him being given a lengthy jail sentence.

She said that around a year before the incident he had been a 'nice, normal bloke who kept himself to himself' but had lost control of his life after losing his job and car.

On January 25 a judge sentenced Crisp to ten months after he pleaded guilty to affray and possessing a bladed article.

Mrs Fitzgerald said: "During the case I was told that Gary could get four years.

"I thought it was harsh so I spoke to Ray about it and he agreed with me. When he does come out I hope he gets his life back together."



## River body confirmed as Felix, 25

**THE body of a man found on New Year's Day in the River Great Ouse in Bedford has been confirmed as Felix Yorke.**

At the time Bedfordshire Police said that they believed the body was the 25-year-old due to the personal items found in the vicinity. But it is only now that tests have provided conclusive proof.

Felix had not been seen since November 30 when he boarded a train from Luton Parkway to Bedford after finishing work at Topman in Luton at 5.30pm.

On the night he went missing police searched the river extensively, after a loud splash was heard by a member of the public.

A coroner's inquest was opened on Wednesday, and adjourned for a full hearing.

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# Fire chiefs pull the plug on music to save £15k

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**FIREFIGHTERS in Bedfordshire are facing silence after bosses refused to pay £15,000 to allow them to play music or watch DVDs at all of the service's premises after imposing a blanket ban.**

Bedfordshire Fire and Rescue Service (BFRS) sent out a memo to more than 600 staff across the county informing them they couldn't play, listen or view live or recorded music - including DVDs. The secretary of the Fire Brigades' Union (FBU) has branded the move 'very harsh' and said that he has been contacted by members from the Bedfordshire service about the circulated message.

BFRS said it received correspondence from three separate licensing organisations and after seeking legal advice, decided to ban all staff from entertainment during work time.

The fire service is now in the process of writing up a policy for music and DVDs at its work locations but wouldn't confirm if personal MP3 players, such as iPods, also faced the axe.

Keith Handscomb, who is the regional representative of the FBU, said: "I have been contacted by the Bedfordshire service and I think applying this ban is very harsh."



COUNTY'S GONE QUIET:  
Dunstable Community Fire Station

"Up and down the country many people in offices and factories are listening to music and watching television on their tea breaks and during work."

"In Bedfordshire they (firefighters) are working 24-hour shifts."

"It is a physically demanding job and this profession carries an intense risk."

"Rest periods are written into the 24-hour shifts and there does need to be 'down time' when our crews can listen to music or put on a DVD."

The Performing Rights Society states on its website: "In nearly all cases, if you are playing our music (copyright music - written, published or arranged by a member of PRS for Music or one of its affiliated societies) outside the home (or domestic environment),

you will need to buy a music licence."

Zoe Evans, BFRS's director of HR and organisational development, explained: "The service has received correspondence from three separate licensing organisations (Performing Rights Society; Public Performance Licence; Motion Picture Licensing Company) regarding the playing, listening and viewing of live and recorded music, and commercial videos and DVDs."

"The service has not previously purchased licences from any of these organisations."

"Because of the size of the service and the number of employees we have, the cost of purchasing these licences would be up to £15,000 each year."

"This would be an additional annual expense for the service, which we cannot afford at a time when budgets are increasingly tight, as it relates to entertainment rather than our core business."

"We have taken legal advice and have therefore decided not to permit the playing of live or recorded music on radios or other devices or watching of videos or DVDs in any of our offices and fire stations - as this would be illegal without the appropriate licences."

"We have notified all of our employees, operational and administrative, of this decision."

## Tax rise will save community support officers

POLICE boss Olly Martins has vowed to protect community support officers (PCSOs) who faced the axe to save money.

But in order to keep on 40 per cent of the total number, whose future was uncertain, he has announced that the amount taxpayers shell out for Bedfordshire Police will rise by two per cent.

The increase equates to an extra six pence a week for the average B and D householder and will come in from April.

The revelation came as Mr Martins outlined his first budget since being elected Police and Crime Commissioner in November.

He said: "In the short time that has passed since my election it has become abundantly clear to me just how valued Bedfordshire's PCSOs are in the communities they serve and how their presence contributes to feelings of safety and wellbeing for residents."

"I would say that probably 80 per cent of the people I've spoken to

have raised visible policing as one of their main priorities."

"It is a difficult decision to increase the precept rate, especially at a time when so many people are struggling financially."

Previously we revealed around 50 PCSO posts would be lost but Mr Martins has said that as a result of the precept rise the force will be able to keep around 108 although he said that about a dozen or so had left since the original number was aired.

## newsbriefs

**TRAVELLER SITE CONSULTATION**  
RESIDENTS are being asked to feed into Central Bedfordshire Council's Gypsy and Traveller Plan.

Cllr Nigel Young said: "We know there has been a lot of public interest around the 'long list' of 35 possible site locations."

"I think that the majority of people appreciate that we have to fulfil our statutory duty to provide appropriate accommodation for all members of our communities and what the problems could be if we don't."

"There will be a full six week consultation in May-June time about the draft Local Plan which will include the 'short list' of select sites."

Until then, residents can pass on their views by emailing LDF@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk.

All feedback will be considered as part of the process.

**HOSPICE CELEBRATE SPECIAL DAY**  
KEECH Hospice Care has celebrated Dignity Action Day, an international day promoting dignity in the workplace and community.

After taking part in the day on Thursday, Mike Keel, chief executive at Kech Hospice Care said: "Keech is and has always been committed to dignity in care."

"However the hospice is not just a series of care options offered to patients with terminal conditions. It's also a way of thinking about how to treat people nearing the end of their lives and support their families."

"Patient's can feel very vulnerable at the end of life and need a lot of support to retain their dignity and respect."

**PUBLIC MEETING ABOUT AIRPORT**  
RESIDENTS have been invited to a meeting to discuss plans to expand Luton Airport, so that it can cater for up to 18m passengers a year.

The session will take place tomorrow at Breachwood Green Village Hall, SG4 8NX at 7pm.

Speakers from Hertfordshire County and North Herts District Councils will be in attendance, and statements have been prepared by the local MPs.

The meeting will be in a question and answer format, in a bid to ensure that everyone can have their say and obtain the information that they need.

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# Police appeal to find driver after shooting

BY LAUREN ARCHELL

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**POLICE patrols have been stepped up in Luton following an incident where gun shots were fired in broad daylight.**

Officers were called to the junction of Russell Street and Wellington Street at 2pm on Wednesday, after receiving a report of gun shots.

A woman in her mid 30s was found with a hand wound believed to have been caused by shrapnel. She was taken to hospital for treatment.

The woman was the passenger in a silver BMW when her partner became involved in an argument with two men at the junction of Wellington Street and Russell Street. Shots were then fired at the car.

Detectives from the Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Hertfordshire Major Crime Team are now leading the investigation. They are appealing for help in tracing a motorist who was driving a silver estate car and had to complete an emergency stop.

Detective Inspector Ruth Dodsworth said: "We do keep an open mind with all enquiries, but from what we have discovered so far, we don't believe this was a random attack.

"However, we are very anxious to speak with anyone who has seen the two people responsible for firing these shots.

"In particular we would like to speak to the driver of the silver estate car. I would reassure him that he is not in any trouble but he could hold vital information that may help this inquiry.

"We know that the suspects are



SCENE: A police cordon was set up in Russell Street

described as two black males wearing largely dark clothing. One was wearing sunglasses, and the other was wearing a hat with flaps which were covering his ears.

"If anyone saw the incident, saw the two suspects, or saw them fleeing from the scene towards Stanley Street please get in touch."

The incident, which happened next to a children's play area, has shocked the neighbourhood, but DI Dodsworth was quick to provide reassurance.

She said: "Gun crime in Luton is rare. "From April 12 there have been 12 recorded incidents, which is down by almost half on the same period last year. "Despite this, Bedfordshire Police are not complacent and we take gun crime extremely seriously, and pursue offenders seriously."

Anyone with information relating to this incident should either call Bedfordshire Police on 101, the incident room on 01707 355959 or Crimestoppers on 0800 555111.

## Woman, 63, chases off intruders

**A BRAVE woman who was woken by burglars confronted them before chasing them out of her property.**

Three men gained access to the back of the home in High Street North, Dunstable on Wednesday, January 30 at around 7.25pm.

After searching downstairs they were confronted by the 63-year-old resident on the upstairs landing.

The woman chased the trio from her

home, but as they left they took a brown leather handbag.

Investigating officer, Detective Constable Surfraz Hussain, is keen to trace anyone who may have seen the men entering the property or fleeing the scene.

The first man is described as white, around 25-years-old, 6ft tall with a slim build and wearing a dark hat and scarf covering his face.

The second man is described as white,

around 30 and 35-years-old, 5'7 1/2 tall with a medium build and chubby face, while the third was 6ft, slim and wearing all black clothing.

DC Hussain said: "The victim in this case was very brave and chased the men. We believe there were other people in the area that may be able to help identify those responsible."

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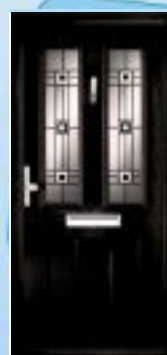
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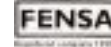


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# Council's £170k credit card spend

BY CARL MUNGAZI

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**MORE than £170,000 has been spent on council credit cards in the past four years, a Freedom of Information request has revealed.**

The expenditure, totalling £171,997.51, was incurred by Luton Council between March 9, 2008 and June 8, 2011.

A Freedom of Information request sent to the authority by Luton on Sunday asked for the council to provide data on its credit card usage by staff.

Transactions included several payments totalling £74,562.50 on an online booking system for court hearings, a total of £21,027.17 at retailer Amazon, £11,063.76 on flight tickets, £4,259.67 on hotels and £1,326.75 on Facebook advertising.

The most expensive flight tickets cost £2,336.13 and £1,118 from British Airways. A £1,620 transaction was made at the Manchester Hilton hotel.

There were also purchases from a baby shower website, buyagift.co.uk, and a snooker supplier. The biggest single transaction was £10,926.12 from Spirit Data Capture Ltd, a data management firm.

For most of the transactions the council was unable to provide information on what had been purchased and by whom. It also failed to list expenditure from July 2011 onwards and the job titles of card holders from previous years.

Currently 15 staff have been issued with the pro-

curement cards and the council said the number of card holders would have been 'at a broadly similar level in previous years'.

A spokesman from the TaxPayers' Alliance, a group which campaigns for more transparency in government credit card expenditure, has said the data supplied by the council is not enough.

He said: "Any official using a taxpayer-funded corporate credit card has a responsibility to ensure that they are getting value for money and only claiming for justifiable expenses.

"It is also vital that there is transparency about who is spending how much and why, so that excessive or wasteful spending can be stamped out.

"The information supplied by Luton Borough Council does not meet that standard, so local residents will rightly be wondering exactly how tens of thousands of pounds of their cash has been spent."

A council spokesman said: "The council's policy is to limit the issue of credit cards to the minimum required for effective operation. They are only authorised for issue outside the small corporate procurement team where a senior finance officer agrees the use is operationally necessary.

"This is generally where card payments are the only or cheapest form of payment accepted. Government procurement cards are used which means that the categories of spend possible on each card can be, and are, limited to those specifically required for work."

## Hopeful model ready to win

A MODEL in the final of an international competition has said she believes she is 'one of the strongest contenders'.

Adunni Haruna, 28, from Leagrave, is a finalist in the Top Model of Colour (TMC) competition, a contest for models with an African, Caribbean, hispanic, oriental, Asian or dual heritage ethnicity.

It has been running for seven years and the final will be held at the Royal Mint Court in London on February 23.

Adunni, who has been juggling her modelling appearances with her day job as a deputy manager at a housing association says she is looking forward to the event.

She said: "I have been getting loads of support, especially locally, and public voting is crucial to the competition.

"I would like to believe I am one of the strongest contenders and I have been doing a lot of shoots lately, including a show at London Fashion Week. Modelling is definitely something I want to do long-term."





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# Man found guilty of killing his lover

BY JULIA SUTTON

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**THE boyfriend of a married woman has been convicted of murdering her in a frenzied knife attack.**

Shobhna Jethwa, 45, was stabbed 20 times in the neck and upper body by Sultan Khan after she had demanded a share of his compensation money from a work accident.

Mrs Jethwa was cheating on her husband Rajesh with Khan, 51, who she called 'The Old Man', and a younger lover, restaurant worker Ashiq Hussain, who she called 'The Short Man'.

The mother-of-three was found slumped on the sofa of the family home in Butely Road, Luton by her 12-year-old son and 16-year-old daughter when they came home from school on September 9, 2011.

Sultan Khan, who is now wheelchair-bound, of Durbar Road, Luton, pleaded not guilty to murder, but was convicted at St Albans Crown court by a jury of three women and eight men.

Judge Andrew Bright QC adjourned sentence for a report on Khan's physical condition, which has deteriorated since the killing.



**MURDER:** Sultan Khan, *left*, was convicted of killing Shobhna Jethwa

Prosecutor Sam Mainds said Mrs Jethwa had a 'high libido' and had been in a relationship with Khan for two years. They argued when she demanded money from compensation he was due from an accident in May 2011 when he was knocked over by a lorry.

After the killing, two knives were recovered from a kitchen drawer in the dead woman's house. Blood and tissue from her body was found on one of them.

On the other knife was the defendant's DNA. A key-ring



recovered from Mrs Jethwa's handbag had the words 'I love you SK' inscribed on it. The keys were to Sultan Khan's home.

Following the conclusion of the trial, Detective Sergeant Sam Khanna said: "Shobhna Jethwa was a much-loved mother who died in appalling circumstances."

"Her family will never forget the distress they felt on that day when they found her body in their own home."

"Her death has left a huge gap in their young lives which will never be filled."



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## Endangered tiger joins Whipsnade Zoo

A RARE Amur tiger has made his public debut at ZSL Whipsnade Zoo.

After travelling almost 2,000 miles to join the zoo from Moscow, 18-month-old Botzman spent his first few weeks settling in.

Keepers have spotted the youngster, who weighs in at a hefty 25 stone, exploring his new paddock and playing in the snow.

Senior keeper Siobhan Sellwood-Brown said: "Botzman is settling in really well, he's a beautiful boy. As an endangered species, it is hoped he will breed with female Amur tiger, Anastasia in the future at Whipsnade."



SETTLED: Botzman surveys his new surroundings at Whipsnade

## Parking pleas ignored says angry pensioner

BY LAUREN ARCHELL

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A PENSIONER who says that his road is blighted by nuisance parking claims the council is ignoring his pleas for help.

Daniel Tissington, 87, of Mossman Drive, Caddington, says he has contacted Central Bedfordshire Council many times over the last ten years to complain about commercial vans parking on the grass verges, reducing visibility for residents leaving the road. He said:

"Nothing has been done."

Luton South MP, Gavin Shuker sent a letter to the authority after meeting the residents, but has not received a reply.

Mr Shuker said: "I went to Mossman Drive and raised the residents' concerns with the chief executive of Central Bedfordshire Council.

"While I still haven't received a reply, my team and I are working hard to push for a resolution for the residents."

Cllr Brian Spurr, said: "I'd like to take this opportunity to apol-

ogise to Mr Shuker MP for the delay in responding to his letter.

"A detailed response will be with him very soon.

"We are aware of issues that Mr Tissington has raised and a request was received for parking restrictions to be introduced on Mossman Drive on July 24 last year.

"From this report our contractors Amey stated that they would not be putting in any restrictions but that their area team would visit and put advisory notes on vehicles."

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# your letters

## Well done you super Hatters!

SIR – It's so nice to see Luton Town attracting the media coverage the team deserves, following the history-making win over Premier League Norwich in the FA Cup.

A neutral would never have been able to pick which was the top flight team – which is a testament to our lads.

It's a shame that after drawing Millwall in the fifth round, many people have dredged up the past and scenes we all saw in 1985.

Of course, the events that happened at Kenilworth Road then were awful, but things have changed so much since then.

In fact, Luton have played Millwall many times since then at Kenilworth Road, with no further incident!

I hope the events of the past do not overshadow what is a fantastic achievement both for the club and the town – I haven't seen so many happy faces for a long time.

Let's hope that this result and cup run will also pave the way to a successful season in the league.

Name and address supplied

## Help support new campaign

SIR – You may have seen me on the TV this month. Not in my usual guise, as a comedian, actor, purveyor of whimsy, but in an advert talking about prostate cancer.

I read an article about the number of men affected by prostate cancer and I was

## Pool should be in centre

SIR – Hazel Simmons has boasted that 200 people have signed up for diving courses at the new £26m sports centre in Stopsley village since the TV show Splash! began broadcasting.

I couldn't help wondering why just 200 people have signed up when there are more than 230,000 people living in the borough?

Of those 200 people, how many of those are from the borough of Luton? How many people

are from low incomes who can't afford two buses to get all the way out to Stopsley village or the entrance fee?

Imagine how many would have signed up if the pool had been built in the town centre, instead of in one of the most inaccessible areas.

My heart sinks when I hear Gaby Logan say the show is coming 'live from Luton'. Any of the people watching would assume it was being broadcast from

a pool in the town centre, when we know it is really coming 'live from Stopsley village'.

But the borough's main pool was never about the people – it was about councillors and the developers. The pathetic consultation process confirms that – only 1,081 people were asked about the pool and 150 people gave positive responses. A Stopsley resident

Name and address supplied  
- Full letter online

shocked. And being a bloke of about the age when the prostate can start to be an issue, I felt compelled to back this campaign.

Blokes are not always good at taking care of themselves and even if they know they have a health problem they often don't want to talk about it.

I am guilty of this myself – a typical Bloke Self-Diagnosis is 'Ignore it, and hopefully it will go away'.

I want the launch of The Sledgehammer Fund to help change that. I hope that the advert I've made for Prostrate Cancer UK

will get men talking about prostate cancer like women talk about breast cancer.

By getting the conversation going, I hope this campaign will help Prostate Cancer UK give men a chance of beating this disease.

To quote myself from the ad, do yourself a favour, do your Dad a favour, do your son a favour, do mankind a favour and get giving. Help us crack prostate cancer once and for all.

Bill Bailey,  
Prostate Cancer UK

## Show off your cooking skills

SIR – We're casting for a fun new Channel 4 TV series about competitive family cooks with a small cash prize.

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It could be a brother who loves to cook family lunch but has a sibling who thinks they know how to do it better, or a husband and wife who have always had friendly rivalry in the kitchen, or a mother-in-law and daughter-in-law who think they have the Midas touch when it comes to cooking.

This is a fun opportunity for families to showcase their culinary talents on a cookery show and settle it once and for all to prove who is the best chef in their family. And the winner gets a small cash prize!

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IMPROVEMENT: More spaces will be provided for cyclists in Luton

## £237k grant for cyclists

BY CARL MUNGAZI

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**GRANTS totalling £237,000 will help improve facilities for growing numbers of cyclists at train stations in the town.**

A grant of £176,000 will provide 228 secure cycle spaces at Luton station while a £61,700 grant will see 40 cycle places provided at Leagrave.

The announcement was made by the Liberal Democrat Transport Minister Norman Baker and is part of the £62m the Coalition Government is investing to

improve cycling infrastructure and safety.

The funding will be spread throughout the country, with £12m to improve cycle infrastructure in national parks and a further £15m for cycle/rail integration.

Councillor David Franks, the Luton Liberal Democrats leader, said: "We've seen some improvements in cycling safety in Luton but much more work is needed and this additional money comes at the right time."

Mr Baker said there was a 'huge appetite for better cycling provision'.

## Conmen rob woman, 82

TWO men claiming to be from the water board tricked their way into the flat of an 82-year-old woman before stealing money.

The pair asked the victim if they could enter her property in Brewers Hill Road, Dunstable on Tuesday afternoon to run some tests on the plumbing system.

The woman agreed but as one man pretended to carry out the work, the other went into the victim's bedroom and stole cash from her wallet in her dressing table.

Both men then left the flat and it was only later that the victim realised she had been robbed.

The first man is

described as a white male, in his 40s, around six feet tall and of stocky build.

He was wearing a high visibility jacket with a dark jacket underneath, dark trousers, boots and a woollen hat. The second man was of a similar age, height and build but wore dark clothing.

Investigating officer, Detective Sergeant Chris Beresford said: "These offenders appear to have deliberately picked on an elderly woman and taken advantage of her. The victim is very distressed by what has happened."

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# Talks launched to save families from eviction

BY LAUREN ARCHELL  
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A COUNCILLOR says there is a 50/50 chance of reaching a deal to prevent families being evicted from around 35 homes.

In January, Luton on Sunday revealed that residents renting properties near junction 11 of the M1 in Luton were warned that they had to leave by the end of March – despite tenants' claims that they were told that they would be safe for three years.

The homes were originally bought by the Highways Agency to allow motorway widening, but in 2009 the plans changed and homes offered to tenants to buy or put up for sale.

However two weeks ago, many residents in the area, some who had lived in their properties for up to 20 years, were served with a notice to quit meaning they would have to leave their homes in just two months.

But after chairing a public meeting, Cllr Tom Shaw and Luton North MP Kelvin Hopkins have pledged their support for residents and are working to find a solution.

Cllr Shaw said: "I am 100 per cent behind these tenants, and so is Kelvin.



**FIGHT:** Carol Hover and Brian Fraser are battling to save their homes

"We are hopeful that we can come to some sort of partnership with one of the housing associations, or take control of the properties so that the tenants can remain in their homes

"Around 35 households are at risk, and if they were to be evicted it would cause huge problems for the council in terms of rehousing people.

"We're not talking about one or two people, we're talking about families of six or seven. The best thing is to do all we can to prevent this happening.

"This is a case of departments not talking to each other, and the Highways Agency seeking to make money.

"At the moment it is 50/50 whether we'll come to a happy conclusion, but we're doing all we can."

Carol Hover, of Bradley Road, Luton, who is spearheading a campaign by tenants, said: "We feel like we've got some support.

"We came into this process thinking everyone was against us, but we couldn't have been more wrong.

"We appreciate Kelvin and Tom taking time out to attend the meeting, and backing us.

"From the moment we were served with our notices to quit, the community has come together and we are ready to fight this."

A Highways Agency spokesperson said: "The agency is planning to sell a number of properties in Luton near junction 11 of the M1.

"We understand some people have lived in these properties for a number of years and we are doing everything we can to help and have written to them at every stage of the process."

A petition to support the residents can be found at <http://e-petitions.direct.gov.uk/petitions/44605>.

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# Save the date for

BY LAUREN ARCHELL

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**THE date for this year's Luton International Carnival has been set – and for the first time the spectacular event will take place on a Sunday.**

Traditionally the event, which is the largest one day carnival in Europe, is scheduled for the second bank holiday Monday in May.

But this year to save money and ensure the parade can happen during a period of cutbacks, the event will take place on Sunday, May 26.

In addition the UK Centre for Carnival Arts, which is based in St Mary's Road, Luton has been revealed as the new artistic director of the event.

To celebrate this collaboration with Luton Borough Council, the centre is launching carnival season with their Global Carnival Showcase, a series of spectacular events that live stream some of the world's greatest carnivals to their premises.

On Tuesday, February 12, the UK Centre for Carnival Arts invites audiences to an unforgettable Caribbean carnival experience – the Trinidad & Tobago Carnival.

Within the atmospheric space of the UK's only purpose-built carnival arts centre, audiences can be part of the carnival and interact with carnival artists



**LAUNCH:** The carnival queens from band Rampage, spread the message about the event

live from the Port of Spain, Trinidad.

Whilst at the centre, visitors can marvel at award-winning carnival costumes, enjoy live steel pan music from the Revellers, Tassa drumming and try some legendary rum punch.

Global Carnival Showcase will also enable carnival lovers to experience the visual splendour and revelry of the 2013 Rio Carnival.

On Wednesday, February 20, audiences can watch footage from Rio Carnival 2013 and join in the conversation through live

links with Brazilian artists in Rio.

There will also be an eclectic mix of live music from the UK's premiere samba band Rhythms of the City, Soca dance from Rampage, DJ Moveo, plus award-winning costumes from Notting Hill Carnival and caipirinha cocktails.

Pax Nindi, creative director of the UK Centre for Carnival Arts said: "The UK Centre for Carnival Arts is excited to be working with Luton Borough Council to deliver a high quality carnival parade for the whole



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# this year's carnival!



**COLOURFUL:** People of all ages can take part in the Luton International Carnival on Sunday May 26

community, young and old and from every background to enjoy.

"Our lead up to the big day will provide plenty of opportunities for the local community to get involved.

"The Global Carnival Showcase will kick off the season off in spectacular fashion.

"The events offer everyone a unique opportunity to experience some of the best carnivals from around the world without actually leaving the area."

Cllr Mohammed Ashraf, portfolio holder for arts and culture at Luton Borough Council, said:

"Once again we can't wait for the town to come alive with tens of thousands of people enjoying the sounds, sights and smells of Luton International Carnival.

"Carnival demonstrates the diverse mix of arts, music and culture we are lucky enough to enjoy here in Luton, and seeing the colourful costumes, dance, and floats is such a unique experience.

"The decision to move the carnival date to the Sunday from its usual Monday slot will reduce staffing costs.

"This means we can still look

forward to the spectacular event despite the significant cuts to council funding.

"We are delighted to be working in partnership with the UK Centre for Carnival Arts and are looking forward to making Sunday May 26 a day to remember."

The Rio and Trinidad carnival events will take place at the UK Centre for Carnival Arts between 6-11pm.

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# Train contract is not deserved, claims MP

BY LAUREN ARCHELL  
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**LUTON South MP Gavin Shuker says he has been left 'frustrated' by the decision to extend First Capital Connect's (FCC) rail contract by up to three years.**

The Secretary of State for Transport made the announcement on Thursday, in his response to a review on the UK's rail franchise process.

The decision came following the Department for Transport's decision to suspend the Thameslink franchise last year, despite plans for it to be renewed this September.

The move to renew FCC's contract, which has served Thameslink's Bedford to Brighton line since 2006, has come under fire from Luton South MP Gavin Shuker.

He said "FCC has under performed throughout this contract, failing to carry out commitments made in their franchise agreement but still driving ticket prices up at times of low customer satisfaction."

"The Transport Secretary's decision means that FCC have been rewarded for providing a poor service."

"For long-suffering commuters in Luton this is extremely frus-



**CRITICISM:** Luton South MP Gavin Shuker says he is disappointed that train operator First Capital Connect had its contract extended

trating and shows that the government is failing to make sure FCC is putting passengers ahead of profit."

Roger Perkins, for FCC said: "Mr Shuker's comments do not reflect reality. We have delivered on all our franchise commitments and, despite 75 per cent of the delays on the Thameslink route being outside our control, audited figures show we have still improved punctuality."

"Looking at the facts, we have made great strides to improve

the service for our customers during this franchise and welcome the opportunity to deliver still more enhancements."

"Ticket prices for regulated fares including season tickets are set by government and it has been the policy that fares should rise above the rate of inflation to pay for investment in the railways."

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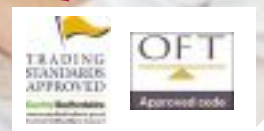
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# Offenders help repair community gardens

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**RESIDENTS** using Saints Community Centre can once again enjoy a garden thanks to a partnership between the council and Bedfordshire Probation Service.

Young offenders who had committed a crime that otherwise may have resulted in a prison sentence have been carrying out unpaid work in the garden as part of a community payback scheme.

Formed ten years ago with the help of lottery funding, the garden used to boast a bird feeding area, a patio seating area with benches, a variety of flowers and fruit trees.

But over time, a lack of funding and manpower meant that it was impossible to keep up the maintenance of the garden, and it fell into disrepair.

The council's Community Development Team approached Bedfordshire Probation Service with the idea of young offenders helping to renovate the area.

The team, made up of around ten offenders, started work in November, working between five and six hours a day.

Since then, the group has carried out a complete transforma-



**COMPLETE:** The garden can now used by the whole community following its dramatic makeover

tion of the garden, ridding it of weeds, cleaning the patios and cutting back overgrown trees and shrubs.

Staff at the centre are now working with the users to find ways to benefit from the new garden.

Already, plans are being made to incorporate the space in the centre's annual picnic.

Cllr Sheila Roden said: "This partnership work has really ben-

efitted both parties, as well as many people who use Saints Community Centre.

"It is fantastic that, because of the hard work put in by the community payback team people will now be able to really enjoy the garden and see it restored back to its former glory.

"I'd like to say a big thank you and congratulations to everyone who worked so hard on this project."

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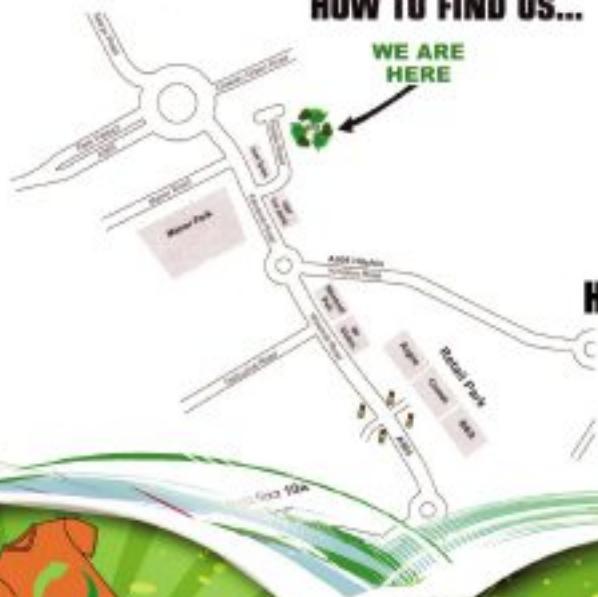
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# Luton exam results

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**LAST week the league tables for secondary schools and colleges were released.**

The headline national figures showed that 594 (23.4 per cent) of the 2,540 schools teaching A levels had no pupils with two As and a B in the subjects recommended for degrees at the top universities.

Also, 215 schools missed the new government target of 40 per cent of pupils obtaining five A\*-C GCSEs.

Since the results were published much has been made about them, with critiques of the rating system coming from the

Association of Colleges and NASUWT, the largest teaching union in the country.

So how did the schools in Luton fare?

On the leader board of local authorities with the number of students achieving five A\*-C GCSEs, including maths and English, Luton council's 57.7 per cent was under the national average of 59.4 per cent.

Barnfield West Academy led the way with 74 per cent, followed by the Bury Park Education Institute on 71 per cent and Icknield High School on 68 per cent.

Responding to the results, a council spokeswoman said: "Standards in Luton's high

schools have risen over several years.

"From a position where the town's results were significantly below the national average, our schools now perform at a level which is broadly in line with the national picture and better than authorities which have a similar socio-economic profile to Luton.

"Schools' success also hinges on their willingness to apply internal challenge; for instance they have looked at the performance of groups of pupils, such as those who are entitled to free school meals, and put in place strategies to tackle potential underachievement.

"These strategies have worked effectively because the performance of Luton's economically disadvantaged pupils is around six percentage points above the national figure."

For A level results there has been a focus on the colleges who are unable to bring up students with the qualifications required by the country's top universities.

The Russell Group, which is made up of the 24 leading UK universities, has a list of 'facilitating' subjects - ones most commonly required for entry into its universities.

They are maths and further maths, English literature, physics, biology, chemistry, geography, history and languages.

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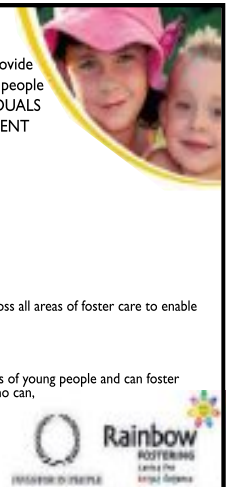
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She said: "We don't place the

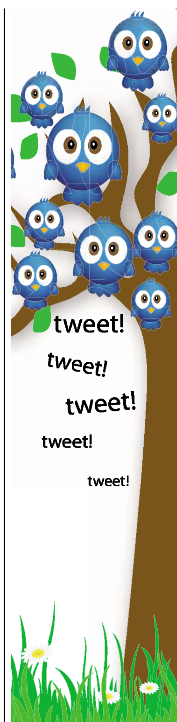
emphasis on certain subjects like other institutions because we want our students to do what is right for them.

"We have a strong maths and science teaching base and we don't set high entry criteria like other schools. We also have a good record of sending our students to Oxford.

"The performance tables are open to interpretation and can

be manipulated. It is hard to compare schools because you don't know what kind of students they have taken on. I don't think the tables are worth the hype and they don't give a full picture of what a school is doing.

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The overall winner in each local area will receive a prize



**SUCCESS:** Amanda Turner and Suzanne Gilmore were winners of The Retail Factor competition in 2011

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The Merry Widow is an operetta by the Austro-Hungarian composer Franz Lehár. The librettists, Viktor Léon and Leo Stein, based the story on an 1861 comedy play, L'attaché d'ambassade (The Embassy Attaché) by Henri Meilhac. It concerns a rich widow and her countrymen's attempt to keep her money in the principality by finding her the right husband.

Die Fledermaus is set in late 19th century Vienna, the home of Gabriel Von Eisenstein, a wealthy man about town, who loves a good practical joke, even if it humiliates a friend.

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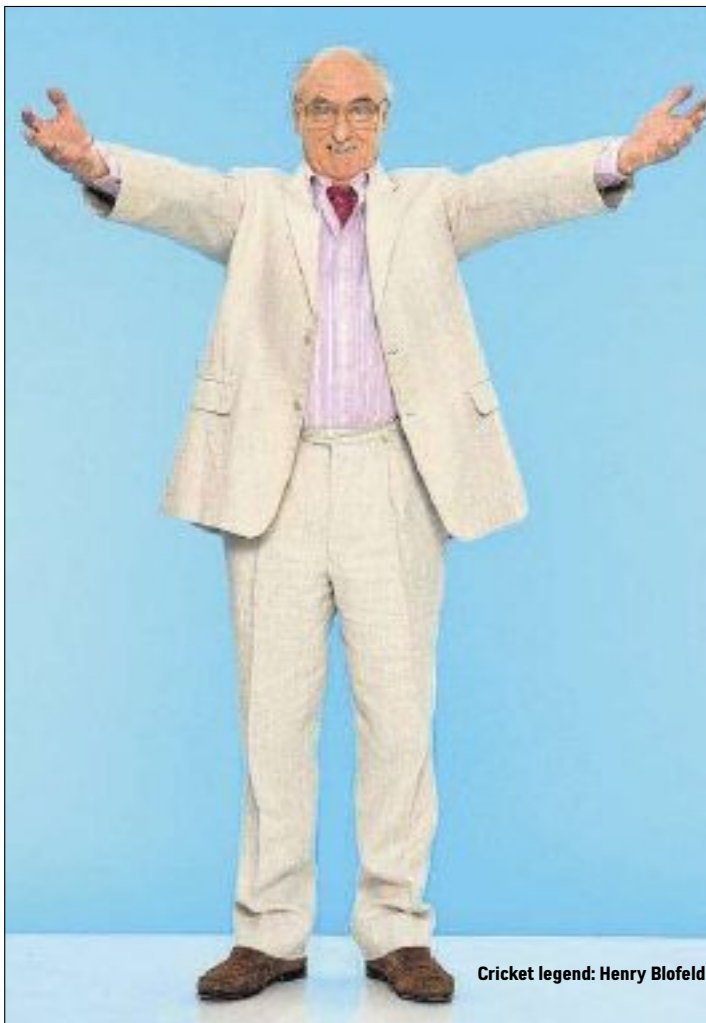
Speaking about the show Henry Blofeld said: "Test Match Special is as much fun to be part of in the commentary box as most people seem to think it is to listen to."

"But, in the box itself there are two different perspectives and with Blowers and Backers on stage they will both come together with, we hope, gales of laughter."

Peter Baxter said: "Test Match Special has always been like a family – and the listeners are part of that family. And like all families, there are so many stories of the characters in it."

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Cricket legend: Henry Blofeld

## Les Mis leads film releases

### FILM

#### NEW FILM RELEASES

The Grove Theatre, Dunstable  
Various days and times

THE latest film season is underway at the Grove Theatre on the venue's fantastic digital cinema screen and features some eagerly awaited releases.

Screenings include The Impossible, Life of Pi, Tinkerbell: Secret of the Wings, Django Unchained and Les Misérables.

The Impossible stars Ewan McGregor and is based on an incredible true story. This is an astoundingly realistic disaster movie recreating the 2004 Asian tsunami.

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Life of Pi is an epic journey of adventure and discovery from director Ang Lee telling the story of a young man who is marooned on a lifeboat and forms an amazing and unex-

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Quentin Tarantino's Django Unchained is set in the American South two years before the civil war and stars Jamie Foxx as Django, a slave whose brutal history with his former owners lands him face-to-face with a German-born bounty hunter.

Tom Hooper's highly anticipated film adaptation of the musical phenomenon Les Misérables, comes to the Grove cinema screen this Spring.

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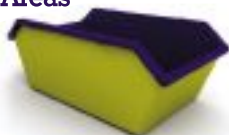


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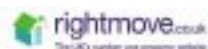
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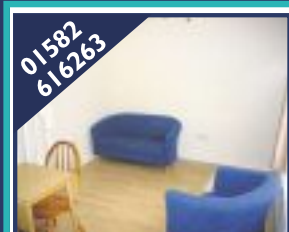




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- Bathroom With Shower
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- 1.5 Months Deposit
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- Close To Leagrave Station
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**Dunstable** £625 pcm

- Available Now
- Entry Door System
- Unfurnished
- Close To A5
- Walking Distance To Town
- Fourth Floor Apartment
- Electric Heating
- Two Bedroom



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**Dunstable** £650 pcm

- Available Beg February
- Allocated Parking
- Close To A5
- Video Entry Phone System
- Fully Fitted Kitchen
- Top Floor
- En Suite To Master
- Two Good Size Bedrooms



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**Bushmead** £650 pcm

- Two Bedroom
- Rear Garden
- Cluster House
- Allocated Parking
- Fitted Kitchen
- Unfurnished
- Modern Decor
- Available 14th February



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**Dunstable** £695 pcm

- Available Beg Feb
- Close To A5 And M1
- Unfurnished
- White Goods
- Good Size
- Apartment
- Allocated Parking
- Two Bedroom



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**Hutton Close Lu4** £700 pcm

- Two Bedroom Apartment
- Allocated Parking
- Fully Furnished
- Kitchen With White Goods
- Family Bathroom With Bath
- Close To Train Station
- En Suite With Shower
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**Dunstable** £725 pcm

- Available Beg February
- Gch/Double Glazing
- Furnished
- Garage In Block
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- Mid Terraced
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- Three Bedrooms



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**Dunstable** £750 pcm

- Available Beg December
- Double Glazing
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- Close To A5
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- Good Size
- Three Bedroom



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**South Luton** £750 pcm

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**Cardinal Newman Catholic School and  
Specialist Science College**  
Warden Hill Road, Luton LU2 7AE

## Teaching Assistants

**£14,163 - £15,336 p.a.** Ref: 40/0705  
**37 hours per week, term-time only, plus 5 training days**  
**2 positions available – fixed term to 31.08.2014**

Cardinal Newman is an 11-19 comprehensive school serving the Roman Catholic community in Luton and Dunstable. The school has Specialist Science Status and was described by Ofsted in March 2011 as 'A good school with many outstanding features', 'Its very positive ethos greatly assists the academic and personal development of every student'.

We require two Teaching Assistants to start work as soon as possible. The successful candidates will work with the SENCO and Special Educational Needs Team in supporting SEN students across the 11-18 range.

For further details and an application form please contact Mrs S Bradley, PA to the Head Teacher at the school address, telephone 01582 597125 or email [cardinal.newman.admin@luton.gov.uk](mailto:cardinal.newman.admin@luton.gov.uk)

**Closing date: 13 February 2013.**  
**Interview date: 27 February 2013.**

*Roman Catholic School in the Diocese of Northampton.  
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*including unsocial hours allowance*

Ref: 13/0069

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Demonstrable post apprenticeship/training experience of maintaining a range of vehicles, with an emphasis on large goods vehicles is essential. You must be trained to a minimum of City and Guilds - Full Technological Certificate Level III or equivalent and hold a Category C1 + E driving licence. With good organisational skills you must have the ability to find practical solutions to technical problems within industry time-standards and to tight deadlines. You will be able to give clear information and accurately maintain manual and computer records. Demonstrable knowledge of the application and practice of Health & Safety legislation is essential and you must be available to attend training courses.

Shifts are worked week about: Shift A is Mon-Thurs 7am-3pm & Fri 7am-2.30pm. Shift B is Mon-Thurs 1pm-9pm & Fri 1pm-8.30pm.

We welcome applications from women and ethnic minority candidates who are currently under represented in this area of work. Section 48(1)(b) SDA 1975 & Section 38(1)(b) RRA 1976 applies.

**Closing date: 10 February 2013.**

## Customer Services Advisors

**£18,453 - £20,198 p.a. pro rata**  
*Fixed Term for 24 Months*

Ref: 13/0058

**Service Centre (predominantly face-to-face)**  
POST A - 1 x 20 hours, 10am - 3pm (Mon, Weds, Thurs, Fri)

**Call Centre (predominantly telephony)**  
POST B - 1 x 22.5 hours, 10.30am - 3pm (Mon, Tues, Weds, Thurs, Fri)  
POST C - 1 x 19 hours, 9am - 5pm (Mon) 12pm - 6pm (Weds) 12pm - 6pm (Fri)  
POST D - 2 x 37 hours (Mon - Fri)

You will deliver accessible quality services to all customers by placing them at the heart of the Council's activity. You will provide first contact resolutions to customers either through the service centre or call centre, maintaining the high standard of customer service at all times.

With the ability to deal with enquiries and advise members of the public both face to face and by telephone in a polite and tactful manner, you will be able to calculate repayment plans for customers therefore good numerical skills are essential, and you will have good customer care knowledge.

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## Senior Customer Services Advisor

**£23,708 - £26,276 p.a. pro rata**  
*Fixed Term for 24 Months*

Ref: 13/0059

**30 hours per week - 10am - 4pm**

You will deliver accessible, first class, quality services to all customers by placing them at the heart of the Council's activity. You will provide first contact resolutions to customers using Adult Social Care criteria or signposting to Luton Borough Council Partners, either through the one stop shop or call centre, maintaining the highest standard of customer service at all times.

With the ability to communicate effectively and work with service users, carers and with a wide range of professionals, you will quickly establish facts and information, and be proficient in the use of Windows based computer packages.

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**Please quote appropriate reference number.**

## Customer Services Advisors

**£15,039 - £16,054 p.a. pro rata**  
*Fixed Term 24 Months*

Ref: 13/0057

**Service Centre (predominantly face-to-face)**  
POST A - 1 x 15 hours, 9am - 5.30pm (Mon & Tues)  
POST B - 1 x 18 hours, 9am - 3pm (Tues, Thurs, Fri)

**Call Centre (predominantly telephony)**  
POST C - 1 x 16 hours, 11am - 3pm (Mon, Weds, Thurs, Fri)  
POST D - 1 x 18 hours, 9am - 3pm (Mon, Tues, Thurs)

You will deliver accessible quality services to all customers by placing them at the heart of the Council's activity. You will provide first contact resolutions to customer enquiries via all access channels, maintaining the high standard of customer service at all times.

With the ability to deal with enquiries and advise members of the public both face to face and by telephone in a polite and tactful manner, you will be able to use Windows based computer packages, and have the ability to undertake calculations for customers involving numeracy. You will have the ability to produce concise and accurate interview notes.

**Closing date for all Customer Service roles: 7 February 2013.**

**To apply online visit [www.luton.gov.uk/jobs](http://www.luton.gov.uk/jobs)**

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**Studham Coff Lower School**  
Church Road, Studham, Beds LU6 2QD

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● **TEACHER TO LEAD EYFS**  
**MPS/IJPS Ref: 40/0704**  
Full-time, permanent position  
Required for Summer Term 2013

This post offers an exciting opportunity to lead the reorganisation of our successful preschool and Year R into one cohesive EYFS unit for children aged 2-5 years. The EYFS unit will consist of our oversubscribed preschool and Year R (total places: 35). You will be responsible for managing our excellent team of four EYFS staff to ensure high quality EYFS provision and the outstanding progress of all our children.

Helping the school to achieve an "Outstanding" rating will be a key part of the job.

We are looking for a teacher who is:

- An experienced and successful classroom teacher with experience of the new EYFS framework
- Prepared to place the children at the centre of everything they do
- Demonstrate a commitment to, and experience of, raising standards and leading good practice
- Prepared to uphold the values of the school including its Christian ethos.

In return we can offer you:

- Wonderful children, friendly close-knit staff and supportive parents
- An idyllic countryside environment in which to work.


For the right candidate we are prepared to offer sponsorship on a National College leadership programme.

Visits to the school are both welcomed and encouraged. Please contact the school office.


**For an application pack, please contact  
[studham@cbc.beds.sch.uk](mailto:studham@cbc.beds.sch.uk) or call 01582 872337.**

**Closing date: 8 February 2013.**  
**Interview date: w/c 11 February 2013.**


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**Hours:** Full time, 38 hours per week  
**Contract:** Fixed term, initially to end of March 2014 with the possibility to extend for another 2 year fixed term

We are an organisation that provides support to individuals and families affected by HIV/AIDS and have a specialised service for children and young people within the community.

**POST:** Two Support Workers – Children & Young People  
One based in Luton, one in Bedford

**Salary:** £9,529.00 gross per annum  
**Hours:** 21 hours per week  
**Contract:** Fixed term, initially to end of March 2014 with the possibility to extend for another 2 year fixed term

FOR AN APPLICATION PACK PLEASE CALL 01582 726061/726063 or Email: recruitment@cafph.org.

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**BRAMINGHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Freeman Avenue  
Luton LU3 4BL

## Teaching Assistants x 2

20 hours per week, term time only

We are looking for 2 Teaching Assistants to join our enthusiastic and committed staff team. The posts are to support groups of children primarily in KS2, there could also be some KS1 support. There may also be the possibility of some 1 to 1 support. The successful candidates will need to start as soon as possible.

You will:

- enjoy working with children across KS1 and KS2
- need to be flexible in your thinking and enthusiastic in your approach
- be able to show initiative and work as part of a team
- work with children with a wide range of needs (including physical and medical)

Contract details and working hours will be discussed at the interview.

Salary: £ 7.79 - £8.32 per hour (Level 2 Pt 12 to 15 depending on experience) term time only.

For an application form send a SAE (A4, 1st class), or call at the school office to collect a pack. For further details please contact Mrs J Batten Bramingham, Primary School, Freeman Avenue, Luton LU3 4BL  
Tel: 01582 617500  
Fax: 01582 617501  
Email: bramingham.primary.admin@luton.gov.uk

Closing date: Wednesday 13th February, 2013 - 5pm  
Interviews: during Wednesday 27th February and Friday 1st March, 2013

CVs will not be accepted for any posts based in the school.

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*These posts have been defined as regulated activity under the Safeguarding and Vulnerable Groups Act 2006. To undertake these positions you will be required to be registered with the Independent Safeguarding Authority (ISA) in accordance with the phased implementation of registration.*

## Community Resettlement Support Project is now recruiting VOLUNTEERS

Community Resettlement Support Project is a small, local charity which aims to support resettlement & reduce re-offending by ex-offenders in Bedford, Bedfordshire, Luton and N Herts.

We do this by providing a programme of befriending support over 12 weeks.

We are seeking new volunteers to help us in this work.

3 days training (Saturdays) will be provided and regular ongoing support.

We ask volunteers to give approximately 2 hours each week. Volunteers must pass a CRB check and be aged 18+ years.

If you are interested, please contact us on 01582 453372 and we will send an information pack and application form.

Our next volunteers training takes place in March 2013.

Community Resettlement Support Project is a registered charity (1126089)



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**Houghton Regis Lower / Primary School**  
St Michaels Avenue, Houghton Regis,  
Dunstable, Beds LU5 5DH

Tel: 01582 867487

Email: houghtonregis@cbc.beds.sch.uk

**Class teacher**

**MPS**

**Full-time**

We are looking for a primary class teacher to join our expanding and successful school at an exciting time as we convert from a lower school to a primary school.

We require an excellent classroom practitioner with a thorough knowledge of the primary curriculum to teach a KS2 class. You must be committed to the full education of the child.

You will become a member of our dedicated, supportive and hard working team.

For further details and to apply please contact  
Jean Gamble, Tel: 01582 867487.

Closing date: Friday 1st March 2013.

Interview date: Friday 15th March 2013.

**Marston Vale Middle School**  
The Crescent, Stewartby, Beds MK43 9NH  
Tel: 01234 768224

Email: marstonm@deal.bedfordshire.gov.uk

**Classroom ICT Technology Teaching Assistant**  
1D 7-10

15 hours per week Start date 15th April 2013

We are looking to appoint a creative and enthusiastic teaching assistant to work in tandem with the classroom teacher and pupils. The successful candidate will provide the necessary ICT support for the delivery and development of lessons integrated with new and innovative technologies. Training will be provided but it is essential that the successful candidate be highly confident in the use of ICT.

For further details and to apply please contact  
Mr Tom Dell, Tel: 01234 768224.

Closing date: Friday 15th February 2013.

Interview date: Tuesday 5th March 2013.

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*A Specialist Sports College*  
Headteacher: Karen Johns

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## TEACHER OF ENGLISH

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and dedicated Teacher of English to teach at Key Stage 3 and 4. The successful applicant will be joining a supportive, committed and popular department. This post presents an excellent opportunity to contribute to the development of the department in areas which suit your strengths. A strong induction programme is provided for both experienced staff and newly qualified teachers.

## TEACHER OF SCIENCE

We are looking to appoint an enthusiastic, well qualified and inspiring teacher to join an outstanding and very successful team. The ideal candidate will be able to offer strong teaching skills and the ability to motivate students through a positive approach and use of varied teaching strategies at Key Stage 3 and 4.

**For both teaching posts we offer:**

- A friendly, open and supportive school with Investors in People status
- Excellent facilities and resources and part of the Government's Priority Building Programme
- Commitment to professional development
- The opportunity to be involved in cutting edge developments

Stopsley High School is an 11-16 mixed Comprehensive School and Community College situated in a quiet area on the Hertfordshire / Bedfordshire border. We are a popular, oversubscribed school described by Ofsted in March 2011 as "good with outstanding features where the quality of care, guidance and support is excellent".

If you are interested in applying for either of these posts please feel free to contact the school for an information and application pack. You are also most welcome to visit the school or phone for an informal conversation prior to applying.

For more details regarding these posts telephone 01582 870900 or email: stopsley.high.admin@luton.gov.uk  
[www.stopsleyhighschool.co.uk](http://www.stopsleyhighschool.co.uk)

**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL BY 15TH FEBRUARY 2013.**

Shortlisting will take place during the week commencing 18th February, and the interviews will be conducted during the week commencing 4th March 2013.

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### YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSIONING TEAM

To give young people a better foundation for a future career, the government is increasing the age to which they must continue in education or training – Raising the Participation Age. To help us make the RPA a success, we need 2 dedicated Officers to join our Children's Services team.

● **RPA OFFICER – DATA**  
**£21,776 - £24,153 per annum** (Quote ref: 4117)  
**Full time, 37 hours per week**

Your task will be to collate and analyse data on a wide range of areas that affect young people. You will then present this to the Youth Support Service, Head of Service Commissioning and relevant strategy groups. With your help, we can successfully implement our RPA strategy. It's an interesting and important role that calls for A-levels (or equivalent); data analysis experience; and the ability to interpret complex information.

For an informal discussion please contact Jackie Squire on 0300 300 6566 or email [jackie.squire@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:jackie.squire@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk)

● **RPA OFFICER – OPERATIONAL**  
**£24,962 - £27,292 per annum** (Quote ref: 4117b)  
**Full time, 37 hours per week**

You will join us on the frontline, working directly with schools, colleges and training providers to implement our RPA strategy and action plan. This involves identifying those likely to struggle to remain in education until their 18th birthday and then providing appropriate support. It's a key role that calls for a degree (or equivalent); experience of working with upper or secondary schools; and the ability to influence senior figures in school and college management.

For an informal discussion please contact Ketan Gandhi on 0300 300 4821 or email [ketan.gandhi@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:ketan.gandhi@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk)

To join us in these roles, you must have experience of working in or with local government or the public sector. You must also understand the needs of young people, families and employers, have excellent communication skills and an organised approach.

To apply for these posts, please visit  
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Closing date for both posts: 17 February 2013.

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**Required for September 2013**

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## Teaching Assistants

Term time only NJC Scale 18 - 21 (£17,161 - £19,126 pro rata) dependent upon experience

## Administration Assistant

Term time only NJC Scale 18 - 21 (£17,161 - £19,126 pro rata) dependent upon experience

The Academy of Central Bedfordshire is an Alternative Provision Free School that will open in September 2013 on two sites, one in Stotfold and one in Houghton Regis. The Academy will initially cater for 70 students aged 11 – 16 in the first year, rising to 140 students in 2016.

The two sites will be significantly remodelled to create a 'state of the art' bespoke vocational curriculum provision.

Application packs and further information can be obtained from Lou Ellis at slouellis@redborne.beds.sch.uk or phone 01525 404462. For an informal discussion or further information please phone 01525 404462 and ask for the Headteacher's PA.

All offers of employment are "conditional" until Criminal Record Bureau and qualification checks have been successfully completed and satisfactory references have been received. The Academy of Central Bedfordshire is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

Closing date for all applications: 25th February 2013

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## LEAGRAVE PRIMARY SCHOOL

**Address:** Strangers Way, Luton, Bedfordshire LU4 9ND  
**Telephone:** 01582 571951  
**Email:** legrave.primary.admin@luton.gov.uk  
**Website:** www.levgraveprimary.co.uk  
**Acting Head:** Sam Gooding  
**Chairman:** Melvyn Butcher MBE  
**School Advisor:** John Wrigglesworth

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## Teaching Assistant – TAI

30 hours per week – term time only  
£10,247 - £10,939 p.a.

**Temporary post to be reviewed 31 August 2013**

We require two Teaching Assistants as soon as possible to support children with Special Educational Needs in the classroom.

You will be required to provide support to individuals and groups of children within lessons and be able to assist with classroom preparation as required. The ability to successfully work as part of a team and to be able to contribute and promote school initiatives is essential.

We seek motivated, committed individuals with experience of working with children and with the capability to create and maintain excellent working relationships within the school environment.

To apply for this role, visit www.luton.gov.uk/jobs and click on the link to the Teaching and Schools Vacancies

For a discussion on this role, or to request a hard copy application form please contact the school office, send a large SAE to the school address, telephone 01582 571951 or email legrave.primary.admin@luton.gov.uk

Closing date: Wednesday 13th February 2013

Interview date: Friday 15th February 2013

Ref: 40/0717

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## Ashcroft High School

Crawley Green Road, Luton, Beds LU2 9AG  
**Football & Sports Development Officer**  
**SALARY: L7 - £26,276 (for an 18 month fixed term)**

A motivational individual with a real passion for developing sport is required to join a forward thinking team at Ashcroft High School.

**You will:**

- Have a good knowledge of sports development in schools and/or Community Groups.
- Have an interest in the benefit of providing sport to the local community.
- Be an effective team leader and team member.

**We offer:**

- A strong commitment to your professional development and career management.
- An opportunity to be part of an enthusiastic and creative team.
- A working environment focused on Teaching and Learning and raising standards for all.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the management of Ashcroft High School sporting facilities and act in partnership with partner schools, community and voluntary groups to deliver key elements of the development plan. Other key roles include responsibility for the progress of the Football Development Plan and for coordinating the schools sports extended curriculum leadership programme.

**To apply, please see our website at [www1.hays.co.uk/jobs/ashcroft](http://www1.hays.co.uk/jobs/ashcroft) or call Brett Coventry on telephone no: 020 7200 3758. Email: [ashcroft@hays.com](mailto:ashcroft@hays.com)**  
**Closing Friday 15 February 2013**

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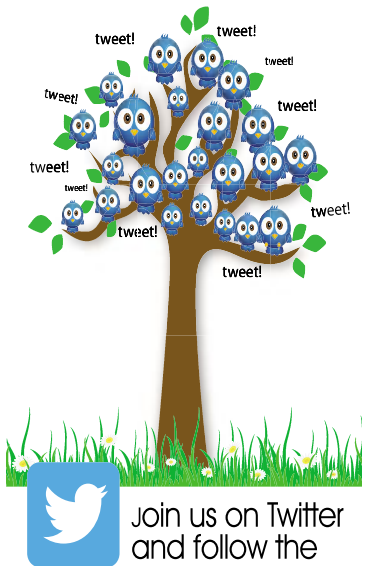
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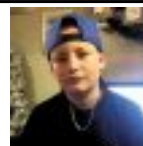
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with you. The day God  
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Kathleen xxx

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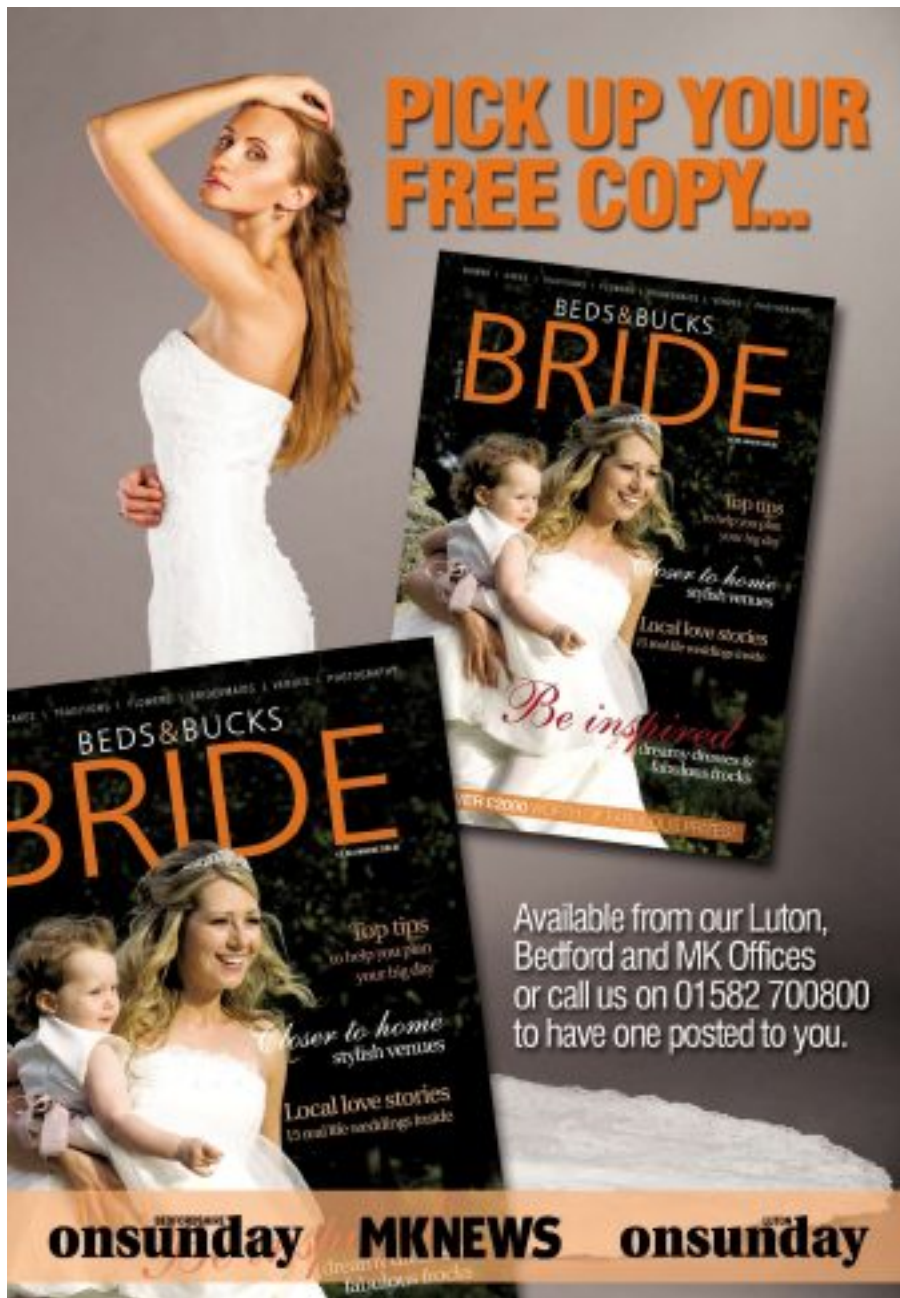
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The British have an irrational love of convertible cars. Just look at how many of them there are on the roads then at our average rainfall figures and you'll have all the evidence you need of that. Peugeot has tapped into this yearning for wind-in-the-hair travel more successfully than most manufacturers with its range of affordable folding hard-top models and today's 207CC is aiming to fight off competition from a number of pretenders to its throne.

You'd better like 1.6-litre engines because the 207CC has three of them and that's as far as the choice goes. At least there's some decent variety within this outwardly samey line-up. The entry-level petrol engine is a 120bhp normally-aspirated 1.6-litre designed in partnership with BMW no less. This is the engine that will rack up most sales and the only one on offer with automatic transmission. It's also a variant of the next engine in the line-up, the 150bhp turbo 1.6, albeit shorn of the turbocharger. Nevertheless it still looks quite punchy, delivering its maximum power at 6,000rpm and its peak torque figure of 163Nm at 4,250rpm. The 150bhp turbocharged variant gets THP (turbo high pressure) branding and features a beefy peak torque figure of 244Nm from only 1,400rpm.

The twin scroll turbo and variable valve timing system combines with direct injection to offer a decent compromise between performance and fuel economy. Finally, there's a 1.6-litre HDi diesel with 110bhp and identical torque to the turbocharged petrol unit. Peugeot has tweaked the look of today's 207CC, toning down the sometimes controversial front end styling that has been rolled out across its model range in recent years. The lines are better integrated around the nose but the fog lights which were mounted on the edge of the enormous grille are now housed in their own cutaway sections on either side. At the rear, LED taillights are an upmarket touch but visually, the overall feel of the car isn't dramatically different. The styling is still markedly more cohesive with the roof down than when it's up. A retractable metal roof makes packaging a nightmare and although the 207CC copes as well as any hard-top convertible of this size, rear legroom is still in short supply. The boot is just 187 litres with the roof down but on the plus side, there's ample space for front seat occupants and holding a button down for 25 seconds is enough to raise or lower the canopy.

Sport and GT trim levels are available, with the Sport getting 16" alloy wheels, air-conditioning, remote central locking and electric windows with full one-touch operation of the driver's window. There's also ABS brakes with brakeforce distribution and brake assist. For a premium of around £1,500, the GT model adds 17" alloy wheels, ESP stability control and a number of other features. A five speed manual gearbox comes as standard but there's a four-speed auto available with the non-turbo petrol engine. Peugeot is a big name in the affordable convertible market and is intent on keeping things that way. Today's 207CC makes ownership of a small open-top car a refreshingly stress free proposition and does so in a package that now has a little extra visual identity, something that could be crucial to fashion-conscious buyers.

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TOP GUNNER: Jernade Meade  
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# Lewsey Farm to Arsenal stable

Kevin Affleck finds out about Jernade Meade's route to the top

## FOOTBALL

**JERNADE Meade will always remember where he was the day his phone rang on September 5, 2012.**

The Arsenal player was in his room at the council house in Lewsey Farm he shares with his mother and younger brother, Kahmal, taking his customary nap after a tough training session at the Gunners' training complex in London Colney.

The name that flashed up on his phone was Dwight, the cousin of Delaney Brown. He was phoning to break the tragic news that Brown, right, had been struck by a BMW in Vincent Road, Leagrave and died. Meade's world collapsed.

"I had loads of missed calls when I woke up," Meade said. "Dwight said, 'Have you heard about Delaney?'. I couldn't believe it.

"The first month I still couldn't believe it. I know now he's gone but it was so surreal. I knew him for quite a while. He was a big character and talented, too. He was good at music and he could have made it."

Meade attended the funeral and placed a shirt signed by the Arsenal first team in the coffin.

"It was packed," Meade said. "People were outside as no-one could get in."

A month later Meade made his debut for Arsenal, coming on as a substitute in the astounding 12-goal Capital One Cup tie with Reading. He used the music of Brown to prepare for the game and as the sound track in the build-up to his full debut in the Champions League tie away at Olympiakos in December.

If he had any nerves, pent up frustration or emotion inside him, he did not show it as he performed an exquisite Cruyff turn with his first touch at the Karaiskakis Stadium.

"It just came to me," Meade said. "I didn't think about it, too much. My confidence was sky high after that."

Meade said the noise at the Greek citadel was deafening.

"You can't even hear your own team mates," he said. Yet he still managed to catch a few words of wisdom from Tomas Rosicky, Arsenal's Czech international.

"He came up to me and just told me not to be nervous and just to keep the ball," Meade said. "As soon as the whistle went the nerves went and I just played my football."

Wenger had no qualms about pitching the 20-year-old into the cauldron and was pleased with his performance against the Greek champions.

"He did very well," Wenger told Arsenal Player. "I'm pleased with his attitude and the fact that he was not fazed. I remember the first ball he got, he cut inside when he was closed down and played the ball. You think there's something there."

It is a pity Meade is sidelined with an ankle injury as he would surely be in contention to deputise for the injured Kieran Gibbs right now.



Instead, Wenger felt compelled to sign Nacho Monreal.

Yet the fact Meade is even a professional footballer let alone at Arsenal challenging for a place at left-back is remarkable and owes much to being in the right place at the right time and, most importantly, to the sacrifices made by his mother, Andrea.

In the absence of his father – "I don't speak to him," Meade said – life was a struggle. His mother could only afford to drive him to training twice and not three times a week while he almost turned down a trip to Butlins in Bognor Regis to play for

**I just want to make it to look after my family. My mum always did her best but it was a hard background. There are lots of distractions where I live**

**Jernade Meade**

St Martins, a youth team in Luton, because the family could not spare £50.

"My friend's dad said they needed a player for a tournament and they requested me [from Bramingham FC]," Meade said.

"I said I need to ask my mum but money was an issue then. But Giorgio, my friend Fabio's dad, said, 'Don't worry about the money'. He said he would look after it."

Meade made quite an impression in the tournament, scoring a couple of goals as an aspiring forward playing a year above his age group.

He was spotted by an Arsenal scout and the rest, as they say, is history. Eight years at the Gunners culminated in the award of a one-year professional contract last summer. His mother's delight reverberated about the Lewsey Farm estate.

"My mum was screaming," Meade said. "She couldn't believe it. I just want to make it to look after my

family. My mum always did her best but it was a hard background. There are lots of distractions where I live but my friends know what I have and never let me get involved."

Meade's upbringing explains why the first thing that strikes you about him apart from his stature – "I'm taller than Santi [Cazorla]", he jokes – is his humility, humble nature and how grounded he is.

He says he left school with a "few GCSE's" and readily admits his brother, Kyle, who is studying Literature at University and aspiring to be an actor, is the smart one of the three brothers who were all born on the 25th day of the month.

There is no trace with Meade of the arrogance or aloofness often associated with a young professional footballer. Indeed, he is still driving a modest Ford Focus as he is saving to move his family and buy a Mercedes.

It was Arsenal's former Rolls Royce of a centre forward, Robin Van Persie, who made the biggest impression on Meade when he was plucked from the Under-21s to train with the first-team squad.

"He is a wicked player," Meade said. "I remember when he nutmegged me once. He cut back and was about to cross it and somehow he got it through my legs. I still don't know how he did it. He didn't call nuts, though."

Arsenal fans are still distraught the Dutchman left for Manchester United but, in some respect, Meade is probably quite relieved. Let me explain why.

Meade travelled with the first team squad for the Carling Cup win over Bolton last season and, as it was his first time in the squad, he should have stood up and sung a song after the pre-match team lunch as part of his initiation.

He somehow escaped the nerve-wracking tradition and again managed to worm his way out of it in his second call-up at Reading by saying he had sung at Bolton last season. As Van Persie and others had departed, there was no-one to question his cover story.

"I was lucky none of the lads remembered," Meade said. "I was so worried about what I could sing. I would have sung 'I Believe I Can Fly', I think. Chucks [Aneke, the young Arsenal midfielder] thinks he can sing but he's rubbish."

You get the impression the players will get to see how good Meade's vocal chords are in his next first-team outing.



The scene at Vincent Road where Delaney Brown died

## Luton Sunday League team in crunch FA tie

### FOOTBALL

BY BENNY SINGARAJAN  
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CLUB LEWSEY will today fly the flag for Bedfordshire in the fourth round of The FA Sunday Cup, the knockout competition for the best Sunday League teams in the country.

The Luton outfit are the sole surviving team from the county still left in the competition and face Lebeqs Tavern Courage, from Bristol, in the fourth round today at Bristol Manor Farm FC.

The match was called off last week because of the weather, yet another postponement in a season which has seen the team muster only five games in the North Home Counties Sunday Football League, half as many of some of their rivals. They have won league for the past five years but find themselves in sixth this season.

The club's best finish in the FA Sunday Cup was a semi-final

appearance a couple of seasons ago. They reached the quarter finals last year.

They beat rivals Crawley Green, 5-1, in this year's first round, beat AC Sportsman at Hitchin Town FC in round two before putting five past RHP Sports & Social in the third round. Yet they have managed to play just once since Christmas because of the weather and could go into the game under cooked.

"We have not had enough practice because of the weather," the club's manager, Mark Ponte, said.

Ponte said he has limited knowledge on his opponents from Bristol who beat Sporting Bristol, 2-0, in the last round. Instead, Ponte will focus on the players he will field, including Nathan Frater, Nigel Blower, Moses Olaleye and Jonathan Cooper. The backbone of the team is drawn from players who play for AFC Dunstable and Dunstable Town.

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LONE FURROW: Andre Gray was starved of service against Barrow in the Blue Square Bet Premier clash. Picture: Gareth Owen

## 'Defeat is a big low,' says boss

### FOOTBALL

#### BLUE SQUARE BET PREMIER

**Barrow 1**  
**Luton Town 0**

BY LUKE PETERSON

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PAUL Buckle says he will sign another defender this month after defensive frailties saw Luton slump to a 1-0 defeat against relegation-threatened Barrow.

Greg Taylor's fifth-minute mistake gifted Adam Boyes the only goal and extended the Hatters winless league run on the road.

They have not won away from Kenilworth Road since October

27th and are four points off the fourth play-off spot, although they have played four games less than Kidderminster.

The defeat was compounded by Lathaniel Rowe-Turner's straight red card in extra time – believed to be for violent conduct – and he looks set to face a three-match ban.

Buckle hopes to offset his absence by bringing in another defender after Steve McNulty joined this week from Fleetwood Town.

"[There is] maybe one more coming in," Buckle told Diverse FM. "A free agent at centre half. I'm very hopeful."

Luton followed up the cup win over Wolves last month with a 6-1 thrashing of Barrow a few days later but in their first league game

since the Norwich cup win, they lost to the same lowly opposition.

"We've had a massive high and now a big low," said Buckle. "We've just got to dust ourselves down and get on with it. A week off is going to do us good."

Buckle was critical of his side's approach play as they fired a blank for the second away game of the week.

"I feel sorry for the forwards," Buckle said. "When you go a

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Barrow	27	7	8	12	30	49	-19	28
Nuneaton Town	29	6	10	13	37	53	-16	28
Eastleigh United	27	5	9	13	36	56	-20	24

goal down early on to a team down at the bottom you start to panic. They had minimal chances on our goal and we gifted them a goal to hold on to. It's a carbon copy of our season in terms of individual errors."

One consolation for Buckle was the performance of McNulty on his debut.

He started ahead of Janos Kovacs who was dropped after the defeat at Grimsby.

"He [Kovacs] was left out," said Buckle. "McNulty did great."

## McNulty to add muscle

### HATTERS NEWS

PAUL Buckle said he signed Steve McNulty because he was "sick of seeing his side bullied".

Luton have conceded more goals away from home than any side in the top five and have shipped two more on their travels than fourth bottom AFC Telford.

They let in three in the Trophy at Grimsby on Tuesday night and Buckle was alarmed at the amount of headers won by Richard Brodie, the Grimsby substitute.

"I think we've been crying out for a leader at centre half since I've been at the club," Buckle told the official club website.

"George Pilkington was a leader, he led by example and wasn't necessarily the biggest talker, he'd be the first one to say that."

"We do seem to get bullied. I don't want to see that anymore, I'm fed up with seeing that now. McNulty will be a great acquisition."

## Martin likes new vibe

### HATTERS NEWS

HATTERS new signing Dave Martin says the set-up at Luton Town is geared for life in the Football League.

Martin was released by Southend United earlier this month and has been training with the Kenilworth Road club since, signing permanently on Tuesday. The left winger has been impressed by his new surroundings.

"It is a league club, in my eyes," said Martin. "Everything is like a league club; if you look at the fans, the staff, the way the club is run, the training, everything. There is no faulting it."

Buckle feels Martin, 27, is a flair player and has signed him to complement Scott Neilson on the other flank and provide ammunition for Jon Shaw and Andre Gray.

"He's something different and I really feel our fans will love him," Buckle said. "Our supporters will love his flair and the way he takes people on."

## Luton produce season's best

### RUGBY UNION ROUND-UP

BY TIM BARTLETT

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LUTON's director of rugby Paul Allen described the first half of his teams 29-14 home victory over Brentwood as "a stunning defensive display, perhaps as good as I've seen all season".

Clinical finishing in the final phases proved to be the difference between the two sides at Newlands yesterday afternoon.

Two first-half tries from Tesh Edwards and Steven Ellis, with seven points added from the boot of Rik Hobbs, contributed to a first half performance that left Allen convinced his side can challenge with the teams at the top of the table when the play like they train. Brentwood occupy the position above Luton in the London 1 North league table.

"Today was all about 18 players standing together, in believing in our style of play," said Allen, "We took our opportunities and stuck to our patterns."

Second-half tries from Will Affleck and Steven Ellis, with a further conversion from the boot of Hobbs, handed victory to the home side and

secured Luton the bonus league point for four tries scored.

Dunstablians narrowly won, 29-27, against Lutterworth in a game that heralded a bitter-sweet return to Bedford Road for the Dees ex-coach Richard Pell who is now head coach for the visitors.

"We are pleased with that result, at times we just had to grit it out," said Dunstablians' prop Simon George.

"We are delighted with the result, but not so pleased with the way it was achieved."

The lead changed hands as many as five times but tries from Kevin Bowland, James Noel and Duncan Holmes, coupled with 14 points from the boot of Joe Murphy, clinched it for Dees.

Stockwood Park looked "ring rusty" as they beat Long Buckley 27-9.

"We were the better side, but were guilty of making mistakes and making hard work of the points," said president John Humphries.

Tries from Michael Powell, Casey Waterfield and two from James Hankey, with two converted kicks and a penalty from Jason Carr, secured the bonus point for Stockwood who continue to operate without number eight Ben Griffin, who will be out for three to four weeks with a knee injury.



HIGH JUMP: Karl Rodell in lineout action for Luton. Picture: Ian Nancollas

## Debut for loan Dance

### HATTERS NEWS

JAMES Dance made his debut for Blue Square Bet Premier side Nuneaton Town yesterday after joining on a month's loan.

The 25-year-old came on as a substitute for the strugglers just before half time as his adopted club recovered from two goals down to draw level with Stockport County. However, Stockport won it with a second-half winner.

Dance was the subject of interest from five clubs but chose Nuneaton as it is near his home.

"Dance was wanted by a number of clubs so for Luton boss Paul Buckle to allow him to join us is much appreciated," Nuneaton boss Kevin Wilkin said.

Meanwhile, on-loan defender Alex Lacey played alongside former Hatter Dean Beckwith in Eastleigh's 2-1 defeat away at Sutton United. But Dan Walker's hopes of game time were hit by Braintree's match at home to Lincoln being called off.



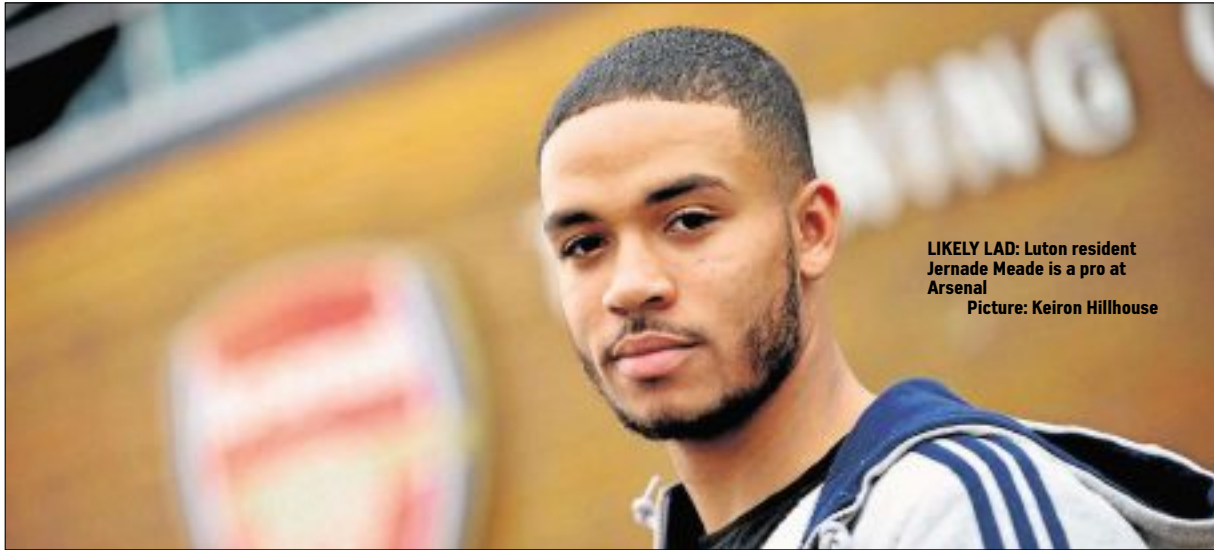
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LIKELY LAD: Luton resident Jernade Meade is a pro at Arsenal  
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# 'Luton rejected me'

## FOOTBALL

BY KEVIN AFFLECK  
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**ARSENAL** left-back Jernade Meade revealed he was denied the chance to join Luton Town as a schoolboy after his hometown club raised question marks over his height.

The former Barnfield West Academy pupil, who stills lives in the town, was introduced to the Hatters as a young teen by the father of Matty Harriott, the Luton-born midfielder who joined Sheffield United in 2010.

But the club's academy staff passed up the opportunity to get Meade on their books. He has since gone on to earn a professional contract at Arsenal, playing in the Champions League against Olympiakos this season and featuring in the remarkable 7-5 win over Reading.

"They were not too keen on my height," said Meade, who measures 5ft 5in. "When I was on trial at Arsenal we played Luton and they tried to recruit me then, but I was very happy at Arsenal."

Yet Meade thought he had blown his chance to join the youth ranks

at the Gunners at the age of 11.

"MK Dons wanted to sign me but I wanted to wait to see what Arsenal thought," Meade said. "Arsenal wanted me to go on a tour to Belgium. I was excited but my passport had expired. So I couldn't go but they still signed me. It was lucky, really. I could have gone on tour, not played too well and not got signed."

Arsene Wenger had no qualms about his height when he parachuted him into the game with Olympiakos.

"I would like them a bit taller, because in England you have to

head the ball as well," Wenger told Arsenal Player. "But I like the tenacious side, the technical qualities, and the fact they go forward is vital in the modern game."

Meade's biography on various websites has him down as 5ft 3in while a computer game measures him at 5ft 7in. Meade says he is definitely somewhere in between.

"I'm 5ft 5in," Meade says. "Look at the best players, they are all small. My idol was [Gianfranco] Zola and look at him. If your positioning is good then your height is not a problem."

# Millwall riot was 'horrific' says Harford

## FOOTBALL

BY DAN PALMER & KEVIN AFFLECK  
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**MICK HARFORD** this week recalled the "horrific" scenes when Luton Town and Millwall met at Kenilworth Road in 1985, after the two sides were drawn together again in the FA Cup.

The former Hatters striker, now assistant manager at MK Dons, was in the Luton team who beat the Lions, 1-0, in the sixth-round clash that was marred by some of the worst hooliganism seen in English football.

Not much fazes Harford, who was the most uncompromising of centre forwards, but he was shaken by the events of that evening in March.

"It was horrific," Harford said. "We won 1-0 but it was eventful."

"We came off the pitch three times and I think the tie should have been abandoned. It was not a pretty sight."

"It was the first time I ever saw police dogs fighting. You feared for the safety of the players and I'm sure that draw will evoke a lot of memories at Kenilworth Road."

The two sides will meet on Saturday, February 16 at 12.45pm. The early kick-off means the match will be screened live on ESPN and prevent fans from becoming too intoxicated before the match.

The tie is Luton's reward for beating Norwich in the last round and swells their unbudgeted income from the competition to more than £450,000.

"Beating Norwich was an amazing result," said Harford whose MK Dons side stunned QPR. "They [Norwich] may have put out a weakened team but it shows that the gap is not as big as everybody thinks. Good luck to them, it would be good to draw Luton in the quarter finals."

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